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Re: Application No.: 10/516,806  
Inventor: Roger McMorro  
Filed: May 13, 2004  
For: A LARYNGO SCOPE  
Attorney Docket No.: 3998264-151581

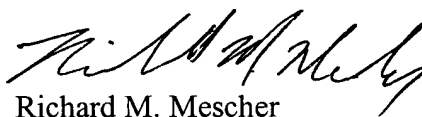
Dear Sir:

We have enclosed a Response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office dated April 28, 2005, including copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements, Declaration of the inventor, Check No. 105838 in the amount of \$115 in payment of the small entity surcharge and small entity extra claims fees, Authorization to Charge Deposit Account (in duplicate) for any deficiencies, and Certificate of Filing by Mail. We also have enclosed our postcard receipt, which we ask that you acknowledge and return to us.

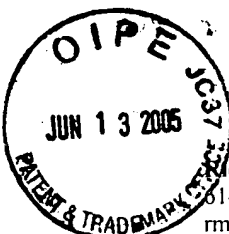
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Very truly yours,

  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION**

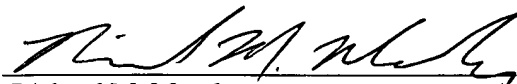
In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office mailed April 28, 2005, applicant encloses a Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by the applicant, Check No. 105838 in the amount of \$115 in payment of the small entity surcharge and small entity additional claim fees. We are also enclosing an Authorization Re Deposit Account (in duplicate) in payment of any deficiencies in the fees.

Applicant respectfully submits that the filing of the Declaration and payment of the surcharge and extra claim fees satisfies the remaining filing requirements relating to this application. Applicant therefore requests that this application proceed to examination.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: June 10, 2005

By:



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**AUTHORIZATION RE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT**

Sir:

Please charge any deficiency in the fees for the above-referenced application to our  
Deposit Account No. 16-2326.

A duplicate copy of this paper is provided.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: June 10, 2005

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10/516,806	Roger McMorrow	3998264-151581

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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/13/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/13/2004
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 05/13/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 05/13/2004
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/13/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/13/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 04/11/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of \$50 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$65 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:



Total additional fees required for this application is \$115 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 50
  - \$50 for 2 total claims over 20.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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**CERTIFICATE OF FILING BY MAIL**

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